

## REINDEER HERDS FOR HUNGRY MEN.

Plan of the Whalers'  
Relief Trip.

Food May Reach Them By  
Next February.

The United States Government  
Orders 500 Head of Reindeer  
Sent to Point Barrow.

WASHINGTON, November 15.—Secretary Alger has requested the secretary of the interior to instruct the Alaskan officials to gather about 600 head of reindeer from the government herds for the use of the expedition for the relief of the ice-bound whalers in the Arctic. It is expected that the bear, which is now in Seattle, will be ready to sail in about ten days and it will be twenty days before they will have reached some point on Norton's Sound, where a large party will be engaged for the trip overland to Point Barrow.

The herd of reindeer, which will be killed for food, will be driven overland and it is confidently expected by Captain Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter service, and Captain Harper, who is in command of the Bering sea patrol fleet, that the herd will reach Point Barrow and the imprisoned whalers be free by the middle of February.

The herd of reindeer, which will be driven to Point Barrow and the mouth of the river through which the herd will be driven, is said to abound with moss, upon which the herd will feed and both agree that the scheme for the relief of the whalers is feasible and will be attempted with little danger. Captain Totte, who will command the Bear, is regarded as one of the most capable and trustworthy men in the service and no apprehension is felt regarding the outcome of the enterprise.

The eight vessels now ice-bound have a combined complement of 200 men. The Orca 45, the Balvidore 45, the Freeman 40, the Fearless 35, the Jeannie 25, the Roaring 25, the Wanderer 20, and the Newport 30.

The first two, the Jeannie and the Roaring, went up this spring, the Newport in 1893, the Wanderer and the Fearless in 1894, and the Freeman in 1895. All expected to return this winter. The Orca, the Freeman and the Roaring are fast about half a mile northeast of Point Barrow and the remainder are about 200 miles east of Point Barrow at the mouth of the MacKenzie river and about 400 miles north of the Arctic circle. It is expected that the relief expedition will reach the ice-bound whalers in time to prevent great suffering from want of food.

### SHOULD BE ACQUITTED.

Young Guinan Believed That His  
Fathers' Life Was in Danger.

CARSON, Nev., November 15.—The preliminary examination of Julian Guinan for the killing of United States District Attorney Charles A. Jones was held here today. The evidence was developed that the youthful prisoner had lived in constant fear for his father's life during the past two months, on one occasion having asked his brother: "If Charley Jones kills papa, what will we do?" The defendant, his father, Dr. Guinan, and Miss Guinan were examined in turn, the proceedings being of a highly emotional character. The daughter identified a certain letter addressed to her and posted by James a few minutes before his death. The attorneys objected to its being read in the presence of newspaper reporters.

The examination will be concluded tomorrow.

### KERN COUNTY BONDS.

The Refunding Proposition Will Be  
Fought in the Courts.

BAKERSFIELD, November 15.—By a vote of 6 to 3 the proposition to refund the bonded indebtedness of Kern county has been ratified at the polls. The county is now paying 6 per cent interest on \$25,000 of indebtedness and the new bond issue will draw only 4½ per cent.

Injunction proceedings will be begun tomorrow to prevent the board of supervisors from carrying out a contract for the sale of the new bonds at par, it being alleged that the arrangement was made before the bond election was held.

### Still After Fair's Millions.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—Charles L. Fair's long threatened contest of his father's will was formally begun in the superior court today. The petitioner recites the fact that Fair died December 28, 1894, leaving an estate valued at over ten millions, and then goes on to say that his father at the time of the making of the will was mentally weak and incompetent and easily influenced by designing persons.

He Got His Deserts.

HOLMSTAD, November 15.—There is no tardiness in the administration of justice in San Benito county. Fred Kastrom, a Russian, aged 26, was driving Mrs. Ann Davis, aged 60, to her employer's ranch last night and at a lonely part of the road criminally assaulted her. Kastrom was arrested this morning, examined and bound over to the superior court. Before the latter convened, later in the day, he plead guilty, and 14 hours after committing the crime was sentenced to 14 years imprisonment. He will be taken to San Quentin tomorrow morning.

### HORTICULTURAL COMMISSIONS

The Question of Their Legal Standing Raised in Los Angeles.

SACRAMENTO, November 15.—The annual meeting of the county horticultural commissioners of the state was opened in the senate chamber of the capitol this afternoon. The meeting organized by selecting S. W. Marshall of Fresno as president and E. H. Rust of Los Angeles as secretary.

Owing to the small attendance it was decided not to meet formally until tomorrow when it was expected there would be a greater number present.

LOS ANGELES, November 15.—The Board of Supervisors of the county are considering the discontinuance of the horticultural commission, and this morning referred several matters pertaining to its legal standing to the district attorney. A recent decision by Superior Judge Van Dyke makes it impossible to recover the cost of work done by the commission in cases where the ordinance or neglects to do the work when ordered to do so by the commission. The decision makes the work of the commission practically useless.

### Important to Fruit Growers.

SACRAMENTO, November 15.—A meeting of great importance to fruit growers of the state will be held in the Capitol building, commencing tomorrow and continuing four days. It is the annual meeting of the State Fruit Growers' Association, and the program, as announced, contains matters of vital interest to all engaged in the citrus industry. The chief subjects will be "Foreign Markets," by J. A. Fletcher, secretary of the State Board of Trade; "Near By Markets," by Thomas V. O'Brien, secretary of the San Francisco Farmers' Club; "The Citrus Fruit Industry," by L. N. Hoag, president of the Redlands Fruit Exchange; "The Orange," by Professor William G. Fuller of Colton; "The Time for a Proper Conservation," by E. W. Holmes of Riverside.

### Deciduous Fruit Growers.

LOS ANGELES, November 15.—The commission appointed by the Deciduous Fruit Growers' Association met this morning and drew up incorporation papers and by-laws for the local exchanges and the central exchange, which will be submitted Wednesday for the approval of the convention. The plan which will be passed upon by the convention is as follows: Growers in a small section to organize a local association; delegates appointed from those to form a local exchange; delegates from the local exchanges to form the central exchange at Los Angeles, whose business it is to market the fruit.

### BAD FOR DURRANT

The United States Supreme Court Acts.

A Mandate to Issue Forthwith. The Execution May Take Place Soon.

WASHINGTON, November 15.—On motion of Assistant District Attorney Anderson the supreme court today decided to issue immediately a mandate in the Durrant murder case.

No representative of Durrant was in court when the motion was made. The court, after a hurried consultation on the bench, announced through Chief Justice Fuller that the mandate should be issued forthwith.

Mr. Anderson thinks this will settle the matter and hasten Durrant's execution. He said he would have made the motion sooner but for the necessity of giving notice to Durrant's counsel.

### NEARING THE GOAL.

The Valley Road Securing Rights of Way in Contra Costa County.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—The directors of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley road are now securing rights of way for the proposed line from Stockton to Point Richmond. The surveyors have been completed from the bay terminus to Antioch, and from that place surveys are now being made to determine whether to cross the tide lands or go around them as the Southern Pacific did.

The clerk looked at the young man carefully for a long moment, then made out and handed over a bill for \$248.

The young man did not stagger or grow pallid. He tossed the slip of paper back to the clerk and said: "Please again, you clump. I've got more money than that."—New York Times.

### THE VALLEY

### OF DEATH.

Desperate Fighting  
With Tribesmen.

British Troops Redeem Their Reputation.

A Charge of the Gordon Highlanders Across a Gulch Swept by Rifle Fire.

LONDON, November 15.—The newspaper of this city have received graphic details by mail of the capture of Darrai Ridge by the Gordon Highlanders on October 20th, during which that regiment exhibited remarkable dash and courage. On Wednesday, October 24th, General Biggs sent the second division to dislodge the tribesmen from the Darrai Ridge. The position was a very strong one, the enemy occupying the summit of a precipitous hill.

Dargai Ridge, from the direction of the assault, presents a frontage of about a mile, the left end of which is sheer rock for 200 yards. In spite of the difficulty of the ascent the movements of the British troops were fairly well covered, except in the case of a low dip, or small valley from 100 to 150 yards wide, about half way up the ridge. This dip was exposed to the direct fire from the summit of the cliff. As the Ghurkas, supported by the Dorsetshire regiments, reached this fire zone the top of the cliff burst out into flame, and the attacking force was almost annihilated.

At this juncture General Kempter ordered the Gordon Highlanders to the front. But the fire of the enemy was most deadly, the leading line melted away and it seemed as though the Gordon Highlanders would be annihilated. Moreover, spring into the passage and the leaders struggled across to the center.

Then with a second cheer, the mixed troops, Highlanders, Dorsetshires, Ghurkas, Derbyshires and Sikhs streaming across and the enemy, seeing that the barrier had been swept away, left their loopholes and rock barricades and fled precipitately down the reverse slopes.

Captain Robinson of the Ghurkas acted with the greatest gallantry. After leading his men across the fire zone to the center, and finding the force there insufficient, he returned over the death trap alone and was mortally wounded while leading the second rush of the Ghurkas to support the first body of that regiment.

### Collins Says No.

NEW YORK, November 15.—Collis P. Huntington today gave personal denial to a widely circulated report that he intends to sell his large real estate holdings here and make his permanent home in California.

### The Gresham Gallery God.

Charles Mathews had reached the allotted age of man before he played his "inveigle engagement" in London. Once there was an unconsciously long "wait" in the performance of "My Awful Duty." After the statutory ten minutes had expired and the curtain showed no signs of rising one of the "prodigies" vociferated, "Do hurry along, or else Charley will be too old to act." The wit of the gallery is proverbial, and it was never more keenly exercised than on the first night of a London production some years since. The leading actress—a well known name—took an uncomely time dying and huddled out the "laughes" with tedious deliberation. Whereupon a voice from the upper gallery exclaimed, "We hope we're not keeping you up, sir."

### Gascoigne Another Chance.

A young man who had been two days at the Ponce de Leon on what may well be called a combination of business and pleasure, since he was courting a millionaire's daughter temporarily residing there, went to the clerk and asked for his bill.

The defense succeeded in proving an entirely different story. The parties to the suit have been residing at Sanger, and several well known citizens of that place testified that Ruddle was an industrious man, and that he provided for his family as he should.

Upon the conclusion of the testimony Judge Risley at once denied a divorce.

### THIRTY-SIX PRISONERS

Held by Chinese Highbinders Without Authority.

Chinese highbinders have their troubles as well as their fellow artificers of other nationalities. On the 9th of the present month an attachment was issued against Wong Lou Shue, manager of the Chinese theater at 88 China alley, Fresno. The scenery, costumes, etc. were taken by W. J. Woens, who was appointed keeper, and placed in Burleigh's warehouse.

Thirty-six artificers that had been giving night performances, much to the enjoyment of the Chinese population, were thus thrown out of employment. The artificers were not turned adrift, however. The Chinese managers do not do things in that way. The troupe were corralled and placed in the vacant theater and have been kept there in captivity ever since. They are guarded by two or three highbinders, who see that none escape.

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Corbett and Fitz.

The Big Carson Fight Reproduced by the Veriscope.

The big fight at Carson between James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons, in which the latter won the championship and the man who had been regarded as the greatest fighter of the age was sent down to defeat, was reproduced vividly by the veriscope at Kutner hall last night. There was a full house, and it watched the repetition of the great contest with closest attention.

The entertainment will be repeated at Kutner hall this evening, and it is worth anyone's while to see the work of the wonderful veriscope.

Military Baseball Club.

The military ball team, composed of members of Company F, expect to play the Solana nine next Sunday. The boys are now in fine shape, as they received their new uniforms this week. The uniforms are maroon colored, with black trimmings.

Mr. Tweeddale said he had been delegated by President McKinley and Secretary Alger to represent them because he was a private soldier and fought in the battles about Chattanooga. Among other things he said: "Tennyson has immortalized the charge of the light brigade; history thrills us with the stories of Waterloo and Austerlitz, of Marathon, Gravala and Sedan.

In Fox's book "Regimental Losses of the Civil War," it is stated that in the battle of the first day at Gettysburg Captain Tuttle's North Carolina company went into action with three officers and 84 men—all of the officers and 83 of the men were killed or wounded.

In the presence of almost certain death American soldiers stood and fought without flinching.

General Boynton spoke in part as follows:

"While there is deep and abiding meaning in the fact that Pennsylvania comes here to honor the military achievements of her sons and preserve their memory until the centuries shall have shrunk granite and wasted bronze, there is deeper and more far-reaching meaning in the fact that all the states, of the south as well as the north, are engaged with equal enthusiasm under the same national authority in the same work."

There is no element in all our work which glorifies the lost cause. Even those who upheld its tattered banners do not see that. But every soldier who died in the front against them till the Union triumphed and we became brothers again, knows that the magnificent military skill, endurance and valor which rallied to support that cause, included the North in military effort and deeds which had never even floated in its dreams before. And so it comes to pass that North and South, after a four years' course in their schools of war, graduated this nation as a first class military power."

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WARD WANTED TO FIGHT.

Because a Slot Machine Was Unresponsive to His Coatings.

J. G. Ward, a young farmer, was in town last night viewing the sights of the city. During his meanderings from bar to bar he became somewhat under the influence of liquor and finally stepped into the Old Palm Garden at the corner of Tulare and I streets.

He took a few hours and then joined the crowd around the nickel-in-the-slot machine.

In Norway, where superb coffee is made, a bit of butter is added to the beans while they are roasting in the covered stove used there for that purpose. In France, as well, a piece of butter the size of a walnut is put with three pounds of the coffee beans, and also a dessertspoonful of powdered sugar.

This brings out both flavor and scent, and, moreover, gives the slight caramel taste which will be remembered as a pleasing part of French coffee.

New York Post.

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## BELOW NINETY

Wheat Takes a Little Tumble.

It is the Old Story of Heavy Receipts and Tardy Shipments.

CHICAGO, November 15.—For the first two hours trading in wheat, the market was an unstable one, with a range for May from 90 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 90 $\frac{3}{4}$ .

Opening strong at 90 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 91 $\frac{1}{4}$ , it against Saturday's closing price of 90 $\frac{1}{2}$ , May held for an instant at 90 $\frac{3}{4}$ , the highest price of the day, then declined under the only really heavy selling which took place during the session to 89 $\frac{1}{2}$ . It rose again to 90 $\frac{1}{4}$ , but by 11:30 had declined to 89 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The chief reason for the strength at the start was that Liverpool was 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  higher, following the drop in price at the end of the week here. There were some other reasons, however, that had more or less to do with it. The weather bureau predicted an unfavorable change. Since Saturday it had been cool and mild and generally about as hopeful to a wheat market as could be wished for at that season of the year, but the thermometer in the extreme north marked 10 below zero this morning and a considerable decrease from recent comparatively high temperatures in the winter wheat country was the prediction for tonight.

The London Times estimated the damage from frost to the Argentine crop at 10 per cent. The receipts in the north-west gave some indications of feeling the effects of smaller deliveries from farmers. Minneapolis, compared with the Monday previous, had 350 carloads less. The daily receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth were 1,300 against 1,635 the Monday preceding, and 1,250 the corresponding day of 1896. Chicago receipts were 1,13 against 1,35 cars last year, but in addition to raw receipts was a cargo of 120,000 bushels by lake. Total receipts at western ports were 147,000 bushels, against 1,103,000 bushels a year ago. Atlantic port clearances were 322,000 bushels in wheat and flour.

The quantity of wheat on ocean passage was increased to 960,000 bushels, and the shipments from all sources to Europe last week were 9,361,000 bushels, against 9,245,000 bushels the previous week. This latter figure had a good deal to do in causing the selling which resulted in the decline after the opening.

The visible supply statement was an additional source of uneasiness. It showed an increase of 2,197,000 bushels. During the latter part of the session trading was very dull, though prices showed more stability. Liverpool closed 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  higher. The Corn Trade News predicted an immediate falling off in consumption as the result of ice. The strength with which December was maintained gave the market much needed support at times. May was bringing 90 $\frac{1}{2}$  at the close.

Corn was dull with very little doing beyond changing December to May and that at limited quantities. Elevator People were the most conspicuous sellers.

The market for oats was very similar to corn in the character of its trading, very little being done beyond exchanging, selling December and buying May at about 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  premium for the latter.

## A PITIFUL CASE.

Death Has Fewer Terrors Than Destitution in a Woman's Mind.

BOSTON, November 15.—Frank McLaughlin and his wife Mary were found unconscious in their home in South Boston this morning. Both had been shot and it is thought both will die. The man revived and informed the police that his wife had shot him while he was asleep and that she afterwards attempted to kill herself.

McLaughlin, who is in the advanced stage of consumption, had been ordered to the hospital today. The police believe that his wife, driven to desperation, decided to end both of their lives. They had lived an abject destitution and there was only a single piece of bread in their room. Two months ago a child was born and died at the age of two weeks. The events seemed to weigh heavily upon the woman's mind. They had been married about a year.

## California Fruit Sales.

CHICAGO, November 15.—The Earl Fruit Company sold today:

Grapes—Tokay, single crates, \$1.10@ \$1.80, average \$1.68; double crates, \$3.65@ \$3.95; average \$3.84; Emperor, single crates, \$1.65@ \$1.70, average \$1.67; California \$1.03; Verdelice, 75¢@ \$1.05; average 95¢.

New York, November 15.—The Earl Fruit Company sold today:

Grapes—Tokay, single crates, 60¢@ \$1.80, average \$1.11; double crates, \$2.55@ \$3.00, average \$2.75; Cornichon, single crates, \$1.10@ \$1.30, average \$1.15; double crates, \$1.85@ \$2.25, average \$1.81; Malpighia, single crates, 75¢; Ferrero, 50¢@ \$0.90, average \$0.85; Yenella, 75¢@ \$1.40, average 95¢; Muscat, 75¢@ \$1.25, average 95¢; Thompson, 75¢@ \$1.50, average 75¢; Red Emperor, 50¢.

## Japan Threatens Russia.

LONDON, November 15.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says serious tension exists between Japan and Russia owing to the latter's efforts to control the Korean customs and that some of the leading Japanese ministers are urging the adoption of strong measures, even to the extent of war with Russia. It is added, however, that the Marquis Ito disapproves this step and urges instead that Great Britain, the United States and Japan make joint representations to Russia on the subject of Korea.

## Killed Himself in Church.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., November 15.—Charles A. Spencer, manager of the Postal Telegraph Company's office at Deadwood, S.D., purposedly shot himself, fatally, last night in the Methodist Episcopal church at Westerville, Ind., where until recently he was manager of the Postal Company. The dead was committed while the congregation was singing, and much excitement followed. Despondency and alleged financial troubles are assigned as the causes.

## A Scrap of Recent History.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., November 15.—The case against Van Valkenburg, charged with conspiring to bribe Representative Weiss of Northampton county to vote for John Wauhak for United States senator as against State Senator Pausch, has been settled out of court. Mr. Wauhak and Thomas Dolan of Philadelphia had been subpoenaed as witnesses and the trial promised to be a sensational one.

## SOVEREIGN'S SECRET.

He Had No Designs on the Presidency of the United States.

LOUISVILLE, November 15.—The morning session of the Knights of Labor was devoted to the discussion of the report of the committee on immigration. It was the prevailing sentiment that some vigorous steps should be taken to restrict immigration, and statistics were presented showing that nearly ten million foreign laborers had come to this country during the last two or three years.

The report that Past Grand Master Workman Soverign had stepped down because he desired to fix his plans for the presidency on a labor reform ticket in 1900 was vigorously denied on all sides.

"Mr. Soverign has no such ideas,"

said one of his closest advisors this morning, "and there is no truth in the report that the presidency was offered him. I suppose he would accept it, as almost any other man would do, and the K. of L. would glory in him. He had no designs on the presidential chair. His resignation was solely for the purpose of giving him broader and wider fields in which to work for the upbuilding and strengthening of the cause in which he is so greatly interested."

Ohio's Gubernatorial Vote.

COLUMBUS, O., November 15.—The official vote in Ohio for governor at the state election is thus recorded: Bushnell, Republican, 429,516; Chapman, Democrat, 401,715; Holliday, Prohibition, 7058; Coxey, People's Party, 6254; Dexter, National Democrat, 1661; Watkins, Socialist Labor, 3242; Lewis (Negro), Protective, 476; Liberty, 3107. Bushnell's plurality was 28,101. The vote in Ohio for President McKinley and other candidates was: For President—McKinley, 552,551; Bryan, 424,882; Bryan, People's Party, 2,616; Levington, Prohibition, 5,633; Bentley, National Protective, 2,710; Matchett, Socialist Labor, 1165; Palmer, National Democrat, 1,858. McKinley's plurality was 51,108.

He Married Too Much.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., November 15.—Albert Kuehnel, the bigamist, was today sentenced to three years and six months in the penitentiary. This is his third term for this offense.

Special prices on Bicycles at Thompson's.

U. L. Mortill, optician, Hughes block. Window and plate glass at D. E. & Co.'s.

Prof. Toaspern, Expert piano tuner, is in town. Office at South & Fontenelle.

Special prices on Bicycles at Thompson's.

Just Arrived.

A few Gable & Son pianos. Can be seen at our store. And still our offer holds good to sell them at the price of \$125 to \$165.

Kouker & Quisenberry Music House, JOHN A. NEW.

Watermelon Gingers Lumbago. Used by all cranberry merchants. National Salmon, steam and lager for glasses.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—The following are prices furnished by the San Francisco Fruit Exchange. Jobbing:

BROWN FRUIT.

New crop—Apricots, carloads, 50¢@ 60¢ per box; Royal, 70¢@ 80¢ per Moortark; prunes, four sizes, 25¢@ 35¢; Black Fig, Jobbing, 26¢@ 35¢; Raisins, 35¢ for 2-crown, 45¢ for 3-crown, 55¢ for 4-crown, and \$1.15 for London layers; Peaches, 55¢@ 65¢; Nectarines, 65¢@ 75¢; pitted plums, 45¢@ 55¢; pears, 55¢@ 65¢ for quarters and 65¢@ 75¢ for halves; Apples, evaporated, 65¢@ 80¢; sun-dried, 3¢@ 35¢.

Raisins—Jobbing prices: In sacks or 50-lb. boxes—Four-crown, loose, 45¢@ 50¢ per pound; 3-crown, 55¢@ 60¢; 2-crown, 25¢@ 35¢; seedless Sultanas, 65¢@ 75¢; seedless Muscatelles, 45¢@ 50¢. In 25-lb. boxes, 3-crown London layers, \$1.15@ 1.25; clutters, \$1.15@ 1.25; Dolice clusters, \$1.75@ 2.00; Imperial clusters, \$2.00@ 2.25.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT.

NEW YORK, November 15.—Californian dried fruit, apples, easier; other fruits, quiet and steady.

Evaporated apples, prima wira tray, 75¢@ per pound; wood dried prunes, 85¢@ choice, 95¢@ fancy, 90¢@ 95¢; common apples, 85¢@.

Prunes—50¢@ 60¢ per pound, as to size and quality.

Apricots—Royal, 7¢@ 85¢; Moortark, 9¢@ 11¢; Patches—Unpeeled, 7@ 10¢; peeled, 12@ 17¢.

GRANATE.

Wheat—Quiet and inactive; Decatur, \$1.41@.

Barley—No trading.

Corn—Large yellow, 92¢@ 97¢@.

Bran—California, \$17@ \$17.50 per ton.

W. H. PALMER,

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Positive cure for fever, chills and malaria. CURES IN ONE DAY. Price, 60 cents by mail. For sale by

BUKER & COLSON,

DRUGGISTS,

Fresno, California.

DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

## SOME FORECASTS

President McKinley and Currency Legislation.

Little Thought Given to Appointments at Present—McKinley Busy on His Message.

WASHINGTON, November 15.—Senator Fairbanks of Indiana and Senator Elkins of West Virginia saw the president today upon matters pertaining primarily to appointments in their states, but also discussed with Mr. McKinley the possible policy of the coming session of congress.

Both Senators Elkins and Fairbanks agree with the president in the matter of pacific measures regarding Cuba and Spain.

President McKinley is quite anxious to know what prospects there are for currency legislation and seeks different senators who call for their opinion.

Senator Harris of Kansas, who took a prominent part in the last session of congress against the arrangements for the sale of the Union Pacific railroad called on the president regarding the sale of the Kansas Pacific railroad. He said he believed the Kansas Pacific, like the Union Pacific, would bring the full amount of the government claim and though as to the Central Pacific there might be some difficulty, yet he inclined to the opinion that the government would get its debt on this account also paid in full.

While pressure is still being brought bear on the President for appointments, he is giving little time to such matters and prefers to work on his message.

It is probable that the President will make no recommendation in his message upon the subject of general arbitration. The fact that he made his views clear on that subject in his inaugural address and that no arbitration treaty will be pending when the annual message is sent makes it unnecessary to say anything further on the matter at this time.

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U. L. Mortill, optician, Hughes block. Window and plate glass at D. E. & Co.'s.

Shells, Cartridges, Guns, Pistols and Hunters' supplies at Thompson's.

Bass Balls, Foot Balls, Punching Bags at Thompson's.

Raisin seeders at Donahoe, E. & Co.'s.

Sewing Machines and parts at Thompson's.

The National Exchequer.

WASHINGTON, November 15.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance \$20,550,824; gold reserve \$156,018,219.

Branch—San Francisco.

Branch—San Bernardino.

Late A. J. Wiener Store.

All of our branch stores are getting more than their share of patronage from the masses. The reason is self-apparent. Square dealing merits its own reward. The people of Fresno county will very soon recognize us as the real leaders of low prices.

## The Red Front

Are gratified and more than satisfied by the amount of business done the first few days since our opening, taking into consideration the chaotic and unsettled condition of our fixtures and fully one-half of the merchandise not being marked and ready for sale. We think the purchasing public of this city and vicinity is entitled to a debt of gratitude from us in extending the liberal share of their patronage to us which they did under such adverse circumstances, and we faithfully promise to have everything in our store in apple-pie order from this on. It is very evident to be seen that our methods of business will be a grand success in this community. The people of Fresno county are fully as intelligent as any class of people to be found throughout this grand and enlightened State, and they know that the firm that can dispose of the greatest amount of goods is in a position to sell those goods the cheapest. That is our position exactly. We buy almost exclusively from the manufacturers; and buying as we do for three large stores, we can afford to sell our goods to you as cheap as some of our competitors have to pay for them. We discount all our bills, and as we DON'T GIVE ANY CREDIT TO ANY ONE, you don't have to pay for somebody else's bad debts. Remember these are our maxims, and WE WILL FOREVER STAND BY THEM:

Everything Marked at Lowest Living Prices.

Strictly One Price to All.

Positively No Credit.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures

And No Possible Deviation Therefrom.

Money at All Times Refunded

If Goods Are Not Satisfactory.

## We Wish to Impress This One Fact to Everybody

We NEVER keep in any of our stores TRASH and OUT-OF-DATE merchandise. Everything you buy of US we GUARANTEE ABSOLUTELY PERFECT in every respect. If not as represented and satisfactory, bear in mind: YOUR MONEY BACK by your just asking for it. Don't forget everything in our store is sold at San Francisco prices.

We'll commence to publish our prices in a few days. Look out for 'em.

We fill all country orders the same day as we get 'em, and always take particular pains to send fully as good if not better values than if the customer came personally to us.

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

## The Indigent Grocery Contract.

## The Kutner-Goldstein Company Gets It.

## Garrett and Ward Have a Till Funds in the Treasury Counted.

The supervisors were in session yesterday afternoon. The bid of the Kutner-Goldstein Company being the best general one for furnishing groceries to the indigents, that firm was awarded the contract. The bidding was very close.

The name of Emaileine Borndeis was stricken from the indigent list. It was learned that she is drawing a pension. County Recorder W. W. Machen made application for an additional assistant to get up the abstract of mortgages. The matter was taken under advisement until today.

The board passed on a number of bills, and among them was one from a San Francisco publishing firm for \$24 for books containing the new county government acts passed by the last legislature. The various county officers ordered copies as soon as the books were issued, and the Board of supervisors also ordered one. It was necessary to learn the changes that had been made by the new law as soon as possible after they went into effect. The officers who had ordered copies were District Attorney Snow, Sheriff Scott, Auditor Barnum, Assessor Vincent, Tax Collector Monday, Recorder Machen and Treasurer Whitton, each one a book at \$3 apiece.

The items had been aggregated in the bill, but each county officer had O. K. the purchase of the book for use in his office. When the claim came up Supervisor Ward moved that it be allowed for only \$3, for the one book the board had bought. None of the other officers had received any authorization from the supervisors to buy their copies.

Supervisor Garrett spoke in opposition to the motion. The book was needed in the county offices as well as by the board, and he did not consider it fair to refuse to pay the firm, which had delivered the books in good faith.

"Furthermore," said Mr. Garrett, "I think our county officers are men of responsibility and should be entrusted to make such purchases."

Ward made reply that raised the ire of Gorrell, and the latter retorted: "I think that men who are elected by the whole county are to be considered as responsible as those who are elected in districts only."

Ward then became somewhat angered, but all he said was that he would give Garrett a chance to vote on the motion, and then called for the aye and nay. Garrett alone voted no, Ward, Manly, Rose and Sayre voting in favor of the motion.

The motion was carried, notwithstanding that Clerk Johnson called the attention of the board to the fact that the bill was constructed before the new rule, requiring authorization from the supervisor for the purchase of any supplies, went into effect.

Chairman J. H. Sayre, Assistant District Attorney George W. Jones and County Auditor H. E. Barnum counted the funds in the county treasury, and they returned the following report to the board:

Gold, \$616; silver, \$236.83; nickel, \$7.30; currency, \$10; checks, \$11; stamps, \$5.10.

Certificates of deposit—First National Bank, \$15,000; Fresno National Bank, \$15,000; Farmers' Bank, \$12,000; Bank of Central California, \$2,374.88.

School land location certificates, \$20.

State controller's swamp land warrants, \$842.61.

School warrants, \$166.90.

Total, \$55,160.34.

MISS BUCKINGHAM FREE.

Was Unmarried and Could Therefore Not Be Guilty.

Maud Buckingham, who was arrested together with William Moon last week on a charge of adultery, petitioned Judge Webb, through her attorney, H. J. Hinde, yesterday for a writ of habeas corpus. It was granted and then the court heard the application of the prisoner for release from custody, which was also granted.

Attorney Hinde raised the point that Maud Buckingham was unmarried and that therefore under the law she could not be guilty of adultery. Judge Webb sustained him.

THE HERRMANNS.

Will be the Attraction at the Barton Next Saturday.

The engagement here of Hermann the Great Company on Saturday night at the Barton will undoubtedly be one of the most interesting events of the theatrical season here. For many years the name of Hermann has been identified with magic, and the fame of these entertainers is world wide. Leon Hermann, nephew and successor to Hermann the

## EPISCOPAL CONVOCATION.

## Interesting Session to Be Held This Week.

The Convocation of the San Joaquin of the Episcopal church will meet in Fresno this week at St. James church. A number of the clergymen of that church will be in attendance. The first service will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Addresses will be made by the Rev. L. C. Stanford of Selma, H. H. Nogie, a lay missionary at Randsburg, and Archdeacon Emery of San Francisco.

Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock there will be a service by the Rev. C. S. Lingley of Hanford, and the organization of the holy communion. At 2 p.m. will be held the business meeting of the session, when some important matter will be discussed. At 8 p.m. there will be a mass meeting, when will be considered the question of the missionary apportionment among the parishes and missions of the convocation and other matters of importance pertaining to the subject. Special addresses will be made by the Archdeacon and others, and a general discussion of the subject will take place.

These meetings will be very interesting, especially to church people, and a very cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

## THE WRIT DENIED

## Vandement Cannot Marry Mrs. Morgan.

## Judge Risley Decides That the New Law Applies to Their Case.

Judge Risley yesterday denied the petition of Eli Vandement for a writ of mandate to compel the county clerk to issue him a marriage license to wed Mrs. Mary A. Morgan. A few weeks ago Vandement applied for a license, but Deputy County Clerk Williams refused to give it to him. Vandement then sued for the writ, claiming that the law passed by the last legislature did not apply, his fiancee having been divorced before the act went into effect.

The following was the opinion Judge Risley rendered:

"This is a petition for a writ of mandate to compel the county clerk to issue a marriage license to the petitioner and his wife, Mary A. Morgan. The answer alleges, and it is admitted to be true, that said Mary A. Morgan, within a year, was divorced by a decree of the superior court of Fresno county, and as an excuse for not issuing the license, the clerk pleads that it could marriage is consummated the same will be illegal and void under section 61, C. C., as amended in 1897, which reads as follows:

"A subsequent marriage contracted by any person during the life of his former husband or wife of such person with any person, other than such former husband or wife, is illegal and void from the beginning, unless the former marriage has been annulled or dissolved; provided that in case it is dissolved the decree of divorce must have been rendered valid at least one year prior to such subsequent marriage."

"All persons about to be joined in marriage must first obtain a license from the clerk of the county, authorizing the same."

"I, this 21st day of August, granted the clerk of this court, will issue to petitioner a license duly impressed with the seal of this court authorizing him to commit an illegal and void act, besides laying liable the officer remarrying the marriage to him in imprisonment or both under section 399 of the Penal Code."

"The petition needs but to be determined, as to whether, to prevent and remedy illegal acts, not to commit or assist in their perpetration, and will not lead this process to authorize a transgression of the law. The writ is denied."

"E. W. RISLEY."

"Judge of the Superior Court."

## THE SOUVENIR.

## Eastern Opinions on "Imperial Fresno."

## The "Republican" a Patriotic and Progressive Paper.

## Expert Testimony.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 10, 1897.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Please find enclosed money order for 95 cents to pay for a copy of "Imperial Fresno" and postage, which was duly received on the 8th instant. This small sum seems quite an inadequate return for the handsome souvenir, as I regard it as a present and a thoughtful to the givers.

I am delighted with the souvenir. Its illustrations are so fine and the descriptions of them so excellent that I seem to be carried back almost in person to that dear "land of vineyards and sunshine."

I congratulate the people of Fresno county for the possession of such a patriotic and progressive newspaper in their territory. Wishing the REPUBLICAN continued prosperity, I am, very respectfully, Mrs. MARY A. MOORE.

## AN EXPERT OPINION.

PEORIA, Ill., November 13, 1897.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Kindly inform me upon what terms I can procure your souvenir, "Imperial Fresno." Have seen a copy and as an evidence of enterprise, skillful workmanship and artistic embellishment it excels anything of the kind I have ever seen, and I have seen a good many souvenirs. Yours truly, THOMAS MILNE, Photographer.

## FOR ENGRAVING and STAMPING.

Take your orders to South & Fenton; they have a fine line of society paper end cards.

## FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Mrs. WINSTON'S SHOOTING STUNTS has been used for children's clothing, to soothe the child, refresh the mind, and all that, and it is the best remedy for Blisters. Twenty-five cents bottle.

Paint for your buggy for 75¢ at Donahoo, Einmons & Co. n.

Agate and granite ware, gunning, at Barrett-Hicks Co. n.

Sewing Machines rented at Thompson's.

Sweaters, Stockings, Caps and Bicycle Clothing at Thompson's.

Bicycle, Hunting, Foot Ball, Base Ball, Tennis, Gymnasium Shoes at Thompson's.

Gun and Bicycle repairing at Thompson's.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

Hooverman's lot to Charles Cohen, lots 29 to 32 in block 37 of Fresno.

Stimle's lot to Jacob McLean, lots 15 and 16 in block 6 of Peters' addition to Fresno.

John G. Abbott et al. to Alfred D. McLean, lots 15 and 16 in block 6 of Peters' addition to Fresno.

Clark & Ogle to Alfred D. McLean, same description as above.

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The Tammany triumph in New York points to the nomination of a Democratic candidate for president from that state in 1900. Who will it be?

PASADENA will begin the New Year with a tournament of roses. A prettier place for midwinter carnival of flowers cannot be found in California.

It is reported from Fort Smith, Ark., which is not often the source of sensational news, that two Spanish spies are inspecting the fortifications of this country. It should take the spies long to finish the job.

The *Expositor* yesterday issued a twelve-page edition containing considerable matter relative to the industries and resources of the county. All work of this kind is beneficial, and in this instance seems to have been substantially encouraged by local advertisers.

The efforts of the McKinley administration to systematize the work of gathering prompt and reliable crop reports from all productive countries will meet with unqualified approval. The bureau of agriculture cannot accomplish anything that will be of more practical benefit to the farmers of this country.

The *Examiner* saw in the name of a new paper to be issued at Tehachapi by Gray Oliver, late of Bakersfield. The town at the summit is reputed to have a full quota of bad men, but, of course, they will take the general hint implied in the name and refrain from monkeying with the moral lever when in operation.

WILLIAM THEODORE DURRANT says: "I regard this last stay granted me by the supreme court as a direct interposition of Divine Providence in my behalf." The supreme court may be acting under the guidance of Divine Providence, but there are a good many people who believe references for fine span technicalities and red tape come from another source.

The Austrian government is making so much of the difficulty with Turkey that one is tempted to believe it is trying to provoke a quarrel that will cause the Czechs and Germans to drop their difference for the time being and bite their thumbs at the "Sick man of the East." If the Turks are as elated over their recent victory as has been reported it would not be surprising if they displayed some reluctance to comply with Austria's peremptory demands, in which case the latter government could carry a little further its game of distracting the attention of its quarrelsome subjects from their own disputes to the difficulty between their government and the Turks.

The tender-hearted but philosophic editor of the *Tulare Register* says that it is all right to eat mushrooms, even if they do kill people occasionally, but advises that they be tried on the black sheep in the family before giving them to good people. If the survival of the fittest is the object, why not feed the treacherous truck to the crippled and the invalid as well as the black sheep? As for the poor families who cannot afford the luxury of mushrooms, there remains the simple expedient of seasoning food with rough on rats. But probably it would be as well to leave the discussion of ways and means to the gentle Chicago young lady who is heading a movement in the way of exterminating undesirable people.

TRUSTEE SPINNEY made the remarkable statement at the meeting of the city board of trustees last night that the special officers in Chinatown prevent the regular officers from doing their duty. This is a serious charge to make and one that requires investigation. In fact, if Spinney knows this to be the case, it is surprising that he did not ask last night that the matter be looked into. Nobody should be permitted to prevent the policemen from doing their duty, and no policeman should be allowed to remain on the force who submits to such interferences. Of course these remarks are based on the assumption that the trustee from the Fifth is talking in earnest, and not through his hat. Let him tell an expectant public what special officers have prevented the regular ones from doing their duty, and who the policemen are who were thus interfered with. The public has a right to the information.

Now it is the relations between Bulgaria and Turkey that are strained. While Bulgaria, unscrupulous, could not prevail against Turkish arms than could Greece, it would make a much stronger fight. The Bulgarians have plenty of courage and are fairly well armed. They thrashed the Servians in most approved style a few years ago under their brave and accomplished Prince Alexander, who had the advantage of German military training. Ferdinand also received his military training in Germany, but it is to be doubted if he has the qualities of leadership possessed by Alexander. However, a conflict is probably quite far off. The Bulgarian government very likely accepted the recent action of the Russian government in calling Turkey's attention to its debt to Russia as a cue to do a little blustering, but the authorities at St. Petersburg will see to it that the little state does not carry the matter too far.

## AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

Judge Van Dyke of Los Angeles has decided against the right of county horticultural commissioners to fumigate orchards where the owners refuse to do so, and to charge the expense of the same against the property as a lien. The decision was rendered in a test case brought by Los Angeles county against W. D. Spencer for \$107.87 and a decree of sale. The defendant filed a demurrer to the complaint, in which he contended that the act of the legislature was invalid, inasmuch as no provision is made for notice to the party whose property is to be charged or affected by the proceeding, and that the legislature cannot confer upon such commissioners power to declare what constitutes a nuisance, either public or private.

We have not seen the full text of Judge Van Dyke's opinion, and cannot therefore say anything as to its legal merits. There is no question, however, that his decision will affect seriously the horticultural industry. The necessity of keeping orchards free from insect pests cannot be overestimated, and it seems proper that the careful fruit grower should be protected against the careless one, who will do nothing to keep his trees clean and healthy, and thus endangers the property of his neighbors. The law is defective and Judge Van Dyke's decision sound, then it is the duty of the horticulturists who have the welfare of their industry at heart to secure the passage of a new law that will attain the result the old one was intended to bring about.

The fame of "Imperial Frazee" has reached the far East and nearly every mail brings orders or inquiries for the Republican's beautifully illustrated souvenir. Thousands of these books should be sent to the East during the coming holiday season. Certainly no more acceptable gift can be found, or one that will tell so fascinatingly and so truthfully the story of California life. The entire edition should be put in circulation during the next two months, and if it is there is every reason to believe that it will result in adding hundreds of new settlers to the population of Fresno county within the coming year.

The crowds are growing, Daily the crowds are growing larger at the great shoe sale of the Memphis Show Co. on 1 street, opposite the Hughes hotel. It is no wonder when Men's fine plush Slippers are going at 25 cents; Men's fine Dress Shoes at 50 cents; Ladies' \$2.50 fine fobs at 90 cents; Ladies' French Kid \$1.00 at \$1.00. Sale will soon close.

DAVID H. TOLES.

Mrs. Conradson, who knew you five years ago, wishes to see you. Please address Mrs. Conradson, Stockton, Cal.

To the Ladies.

Remember Dr. Lucy Ingall's lecture this afternoon at Nichols' hall, 2:30 o'clock.

Household Gods.

The ancient Greeks believed that the Penates were the gods who attended to the welfare and prosperity of the family.

They were worshipped as household gods in every home. The household god of today is Dr. King's New Discovery. For consumption, coughs, colds and for all afflictions of Throat, Chest and Lungs it is invaluable. It has been tried for a quarter of a century and is guaranteed to cure, or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to take and a safe and sure remedy for old and young. Free trial bottle at Webster Bros., drug store, corner K and Mariposa streets. Regular size 50¢ and \$1.

RANDOM REMARKS.

This cry for "better banking facilities" makes me tired. What we need is better facilities to get something to bank.

The kindness of the state supreme court in giving Mr. Durrant a chance to enjoy the holiday season is enough to bring tears to one's eyes. They are not exactly tears of joy, however.

A Dutch chemist has discovered a simple method of converting the starch of potatoes into sugar, which promises an exchange to us, "Ireland's opportunity at last." I don't see it that way. The Irish prefer their potatoes served up in the "only style."

The insurgents in Cuba blew up a train with dynamite a day or two ago, killing several Spanish soldiers. This is cheerful news for those strangely constituted Americans who believe that the Spaniards should adhere to civilized methods of warfare, while the Cubans should be permitted to employ the most dastardly.

An exchange takes Sculptor Fremiet to task because in his model of the Archangel Michael he hangs the scabbard on the right side, thus intimating that Michael is left-handed. Is it not reasonable to suppose that the Archangel is ambidextrous? Why not put a scabbard on both sides? That ought to satisfy all the art critics.

An exchange declares that truth is a simple virtue. That probably accounts for its unpopularity nowadays. Nine-tenth century civilization loans more to the complex. By 1860 not a few of the virtues now considered by many as indispensable may have become obsolete and their places supplied by some of modern manufacture. Gratitude is even now almost out of fashion.

Florida is capturing the rapid extermination of the alligator, while New Jersey is looking forward with anticipation to the extermination of the mosquito. The difference of sentiment with which the approaching extinction of each of these noble animals is regarded would be surprising were it not generally known that the Jersey mosquito is so much more bloodthirsty and dangerous than the Florida alligator.

Here is one of the latest "gems of thought" from the Ingersollian think tank: "For my part I envy the man who has lived on the same broad acres from his boyhood, who cultivates the fields where in youth he played, and lives where his father lived and died. I can imagine on sweater way to one's life than in the quiet of the country, out of the mad race for money, place and power?" Well, Bob, what's holding you? Come out here and buy a vineyard, and it, after bucking against the exorbitant freight charges you come to the conclusion that the life of a farmer is one of Arcadian peace and simplicity you must be having a very hot time in the city.

R. M. M.

WISDOM OF WISE MEN.

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The wise carry their knowledge as they do their watches, not for display, but for use.

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RADIN &amp; KAMP—THE WHITE FRONT STORES.

## A Rousing Time

## Ladies Capes and Jackets.

We start the week in a blaze of Bargain Glory. Crowd Gathering Prices. Tempting Values.

JUST RECEIVED. An immense consignment of Ladies' Jackets and Capes in the most superb qualities and latest styles, purchased from a leading manufacturer who needed cash. Please note the TELLING PRICE HITS of the handsomest garments ever shown in the county, and then call and inspect them.



THIS WEEK \$4.00 EACH.

Lady's Fine Beaver Cloth Cape, Double, Empire plaited back, braided and trimmed all round with fine Coney Fur, would be a bargain at \$5.00

THIS WEEK \$3.50 EACH.

Lady's Plain Plush Cape, with storm collar and fur trimmed, full sweep, a regular \$5.00 garment.

THIS WEEK \$3.00 EACH.

Lady's Fine Plush Cape, neatly cut and trimmed with fur, storm collar, full sweep, worth \$5.00

THIS WEEK \$4.85 EACH.

Lady's Double Cape, fine Beaver Cloth, with slashed storm collar trimmed with braid and small buttons, full sweep, regular price \$2.50

THIS WEEK \$2.00 EACH.

Lady's Cloth Double Cape, large storm collar, top edge and collar trimmed with French Coney Fur, 24 inches long, very full sweep, would be cheap at \$3.00

THIS WEEK \$3.00 EACH.

Lady's Fine Kersey Cloth Cape, Empire back and high storm collar, trimmed all round with wide and narrow braid. These garments are made in Navy Blue and Green, they are never sold for less than \$2.00

THIS WEEK \$3.50 EACH.

Lady's Fine Cloth Cape, Double, trimmed with fur all round, high storm collar, very full sweep, also trimmed with braid all round, regular value \$5.00



NEVER BEFORE WERE QUALITY AND PRICE SO TEMPTINGLY BLENDED. NEVER BEFORE WERE SUCH VALUES OFFERED.

THIS WEEK \$6.50 EACH.

Lady's fine Silk Vultur Cape, with double plaited Empire back, and very high storm collar, fur trimmed all around, banded and braided, silk lined with storm collar, splendid value for \$12.00.

THIS WEEK \$13.50 EACH.

Lady's fine Imported Vultur Cape, with single Empire plait in back, handsomely banded and banded, and trimmed with fine Thistle fur down the front and around the large storm collar, a good \$18.00 garment.

## Sterling Values for Sterling Jackets

At Prices we can vouch for. These are only a sample.



THIS WEEK \$7.50 EACH.

Lady's Jacket of Scotch Frieze in black only, with Kersey cloth straps down front and back, large storm collar, silk faced, a splendid \$10.00 jacket.

THIS WEEK \$10.00 EACH.

A beautiful line of Ladies' Jackets in tan, navy and black, with large storm collar, military braid in front, silk faced and double stitched edges, regular value \$18.50.

## Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits.

We have just received our first consignment of these garments in all the latest shades, black included. These goods are fashioned in the highest conception of the modiste's art, and we are offering them at the best possible prices. Before buying, serve your best interests by seeing them.

Our advertisement this week is a messenger of good tidings, brilliant offerings and immense attractions, enabling us to reach your purse and your hearts also, with just what you want at the price you want it.

The White Front Stores  
RADIN & KAMP,  
1027, 1029 and 1031 J Street.

## THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

Fresno, November 15.—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

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| Temperature, dry bulb.....                 | 50   |
| Temperature, wet bulb.....                 | 46   |
| Humidity, percent.....                     | 68   |
| Wind, N.W. (miles per hour).....           | 4    |
| Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours..... | 52   |
| Total Rainfall past 24 hours, inches.....  | 1.31 |

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 16.—Official forecast for thirty hours ending at noon, November 17, in the northern and western portion: showers in northern and western portion; southerly winds.

Southern California—Today Tuesday: fresh westerly winds.

The REPUBLICAN may be had in San Francisco at the Palace Hotel news stand.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sweat apples  
Olive & Holland's  
Chicken feathers at Downing's  
Dressed poultry at City Market  
Hot drinks served at Brunton's  
Wood and coal—Dorsey & Parker  
Harness repairing at Kehlwein's  
First-class horseshoeing at Kehlwein's  
Photos at Rembrandt's Studio, 1156 I street.

Live and dressed poultry at the City Market.

Get your poultry, game and fish at the City Market.

The grand jury will reconvene a week from next Monday.

Cash talks. Pew moulds 3/4c per lb.

Remained business office, telephone main 97. Editorial rooms, main 101.

The Thursday Night Club will give its opening dance at Einstein's hall next Thursday evening.

George J. Hall has commenced suit in the superior court for divorce from his wife, Minnie O. Hall.

Just this thing to send to your friends in the East—"Imperial Fresno," in leatherette, 75 cents.

Wanted—Names and addresses of poor people, with number in family, Mrs. Lucia Baker, Tel. Main 205.

Mrs. E. Downing, the leading milliner, is in San Francisco selecting the latest novelties for Thanksgiving.

The Nashville Jubilee Singers will give you a "taste of old times" in their concert next Friday evening at Kintner hall.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church will meet at Mrs. W. W. Eden's at 2 p.m. sharp today (November 16.)

David Johnson, vagrant, pleaded guilty before Justice St. John yesterday, and was sentenced to ten days in the county jail.

The Tulare Building and Loan Association has filed a copy of its articles of incorporation with the county clerk of Fresno county.

The W. C. T. U. will meet in the Kindergarten room of the M. E. church the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 2.30 p.m. All are invited.

The preliminary examination of H. Schell, charged with grand larceny, was continued yesterday by Justice Austin. Schell will appear before the justice tomorrow.

"Imperial Fresno," showing the resources, industries and scenery of Fresno county, may be had at the Kirschbaum office, 1842 Tulare street. Leatherette 76c, cloth 4.50.

Joseph Carr, convicted of disturbing the peace by the justice of the peace at Reedley, was brought to Fresno yesterday and placed in the county jail to serve four months.

The King's Daughters request donations of food and clothing for their annual Thanksgiving distribution. Address Drawer 2590, Fresno, or call Tel. Main 205. Mrs. Lincoln Baker, secretary.

Jeanette E. Merritt, as executrix of the will of H. P. Merritt, deceased, has commenced suit against R. M. Turner for \$77 alleged to be due on a promissory note secured by a mortgage on Fresno county real estate.

William M. Sutherland has secured a license to marry Minnie A. Sprague. Both are residents of the Lake school district in the southern part of Fresno county and have many acquaintances and friends, who will wish them long life and happiness.

Sarah J. Lewis has commenced suit in the superior court against the San Francisco Savings Union to secure a judgment declaring that the defendant has no title or claim to the north half of the southwest quarter, section 20, township 17 south, range 20 east.

Edgar S. Slack has brought suit against A. L. Huyck and J. W. Fisher to annul their certificate to purchase certain lands in section 16, township 22 south, range 14 east, and to secure a decision that the plaintiff's application for the purchase of said lands is prior to the claims of defendant.

Miles A. Brasier will open her new studio Tuesday, November 16th, at 1730 Mariposa street, over the Golden Rule drug store, where she will be pleased to welcome all friends as well as those who may wish to meet her in regard to lessons. She will only take a limited number of pupils.

Elegant Picture Frames

Made up to order in the latest styles from the newest patterns direct from the eastern manufacturers at Niag's Book store.

New Frames, New Moldings.

New pictures; twenty shadowbox picture mat. All work under the personal supervision of Fester himself, opposite Burton Opera House.

"Igo Vedia," "The Christian," "Soldiers of Fortune," "A Rose of Yesterday," "The Marlian," "The Choir Invisible" and many other new and popular novels at C. T. Gehriger's.

Guns rented at Thompson's.

J. G. Rhodes has opened an office at 1152 J street with F. M. Chittenden.

H. L. Merrill, optician, Hughes block.

Engraved Visiting Cards at Cearley's.

\$2000.00

Other baking powder would be as good as Schilling's Best if they used as good soda and cream of tartar.

Yes; and if they knew how—that's a great big part of it.

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A. Von Schmidt was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Shaw, who

## DOES THE HORSE BALK?

Spinney and Austin Differ.

Meeting of the Trustees Last Evening.

Ordinance Regarding Houses of Ill-Fame Amended—Other Matters.

The city trustees met last evening with a full board present. The minutes of the secretary were read and approved.

A petition from J. C. Dias was read. Mr. Dias desired that his assessment be lowered from \$10,000 to \$8000. Mr. Spinney favored investigating the assessment before taking any action. The petition was referred to the finance committee.

A. Morrell petitioned for a permit to place a show window so it would project twelve inches over the sidewalk. The petition was denied.

W. W. Abbott, J. W. Dumas, W. M. Bridges, I. N. Thomas, E. L. Higgins and others petitioned for a fire plug at the southeast corner of block 16; also an electric light. The clerk was instructed to notify the parties that the water committee should be interviewed before a light, and that the petition should be altered so as to only ask for a light.

Two liquor licenses were granted to the following: N. P. Justy, Joseph Jennings, Jennings & Morris, Otto Neff, R. E. Pennant, Fred Doh, Fritz Pastach, Joseph Huber and D. J. Henley.

M. B. Kellogg petitioned the board to appoint him a special policeman without pay from the city. Spinney wanted to know why Kellogg wanted to be a special policeman. The trustee said that the special officers in Olmsted town were preventing the police from doing their duty, and that he thought perhaps Kellogg wanted to be appointed a special officer for the purpose of guarding the interests of some place where illegal transactions were being carried on in defiance of law.

Kellogg stated that he was employed to maintain order in the prostitutes on Mariposa street and wanted authority to make arrests.

Austin moved that Kellogg be appointed a special policeman and McVey seconded the motion, which was carried. W. W. Bettredge petitioned to be allowed to construct walls in a certain manner in a building under construction at the corner of K and Fresno streets. The petition was referred to the fire committee.

The construction of lateral sewers in blocks 208 and 209 were ordered.

The petition of W. Becker for the privilege of building an eight-foot corrugated iron extension in the rear of a building at 1037 J street was granted.

The street committee reported unfavorably on the proposition to place electric lights in alleys. The committee considered such lights as a useless expense.

Joseph Spinney offered an amendment to section 4 of ordinance 221. The amendment requires the placing of blinds on all houses of ill-fame, and that the blinds and doors of such houses shall remain closed to the public in passing by not less than.

Spinney and Austin differed somewhat in regard to one of the horses in use at the chemical engine. Spinney said the horse was balky and Austin insisted that his driver was not competent. The chief of the fire department was instructed to investigate the matter. The board then adjourned.

T. S. MILLER DEAD.

Former Fresno Druggist Passes Away in San Francisco.

T. S. Miller, a well-known member of the Scotch colony in this county, died in St. Luke's hospital, San Francisco, on Saturday.

Mr. Miller was about 30 years old and was last connected with the drug business in this city as a partner of Dr. C. Paddock.

Previously to that Miller was in charge of Messing's pharmacy at the same business address on Mariposa street, above 1.

To those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance "Tom" Miller was known as a genial son of "bound" Scotland, whose family were of the head, and never of the heart.

Failing to pass the pharmaceutical examination required by the laws of the state for dispensers of prescriptions, Mr. Miller went to San Jose and afterwards to San Francisco, where his health rapidly failed.

Mr. Miller took one of the leading parts in the play of "Rob Roy," a dramatized version of Walter Scott's novel, produced at the Marion opera house two years ago. The late E. S. Laurie, a professional actor, was the prima mover in the effort.

Mr. Miller was born in Edinburgh, Scotland. His father is still living. The deceased had many friends here, who will mourn his death. He was unmarried.

THE RELIANCE TEAM

Will Play the "Republicans" in Fresno Next Sunday.

Manager Barton of the REPUBLICAN baseball team yesterday made arrangements for a game in this city next Sunday with the Reliance nine of Oakland.

Mr. Barton states that the report to the effect that the REPUBLICAN would probably disorganize were untrue, as was also the rumor that Frank Chance had left the team. On Sunday Chance played backstop for the Gilt Edges in their game with the Reliance team at Sacramento. He did this with the permission of Manager Barton.

The contest at Sacramento was a very close one, the Gilt Edges winning by a score of 5 to 4. Stanley, the catcher for the Reliance team, was a player in a Fresno team several years ago. The following are the members of the visiting team that will play here next Sunday: Van Harten, pitcher; Riley, second base; Lange, third base; Stanley, catcher; McGuire, short stop; Borland, left field; McGuire, center field; Stalz, first base; Drews, right field.

CHARGED WITH INSANITY.

A. Von Schmidt's Troubles Are Just Commencing.

A. Von Schmidt was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Shaw, who

held two warrants for him, one charging him with disturbing the peace and the other with malicious mischief.

Von Schmidt was taken before Justice Austin and he pleaded not guilty to both charges. He was placed under \$600 bonds to appear for trial on the 13th instant.

Von Schmidt does not deny having a difficulty with his Armenian tenant, Normari, and also acknowledges the killing of the mule. He claims that Normari called him a liar and that this caused him to throw manure on the tenant. His excuse for killing the mule is that the animal was in his yard and aroused his anger by eating his flowers and shrubs. He had warned the Armenian against allowing the mule to come into his yard.

Normari is very nervous over the outcome of his difficulty with Von Schmidt.

He is afraid that the man will take a

shot at him, as he claims that Von Schmidt threatened to kill him, saying that if he did kill Normari the law would not convict him of murder as he would be sent to the asylum.

Yesterday afternoon Normart preferred a complaint against Von Schmidt, charging him with being insane.

The officer who was unable to serve the

warrants on Von Schmidt placed

him in the county jail.

On the 13th instant Normart

will be tried for trial before Justice

Austin.

The Suspect Discharged by Justice

Austin Yesterday.

Like Farlas, charged with the murder

of Juan Barrios, appeared before Justice

Austin yesterday afternoon and was dis-

missed from custody.

District Attorney Alva E. Snow made the motion for dis-

missal of the charge, stating that the





REDLICKS GIVE THE BEST VALUES FOR THE LEAST MONEY.

# The Thrifty Buyers

Will be alert to seize the golden bargain opportunities we offer in our Dry Goods Department for this week.



## Women's Outwear

Each day adds renewed proof to the fact of our leadership in this line of apparel.

We quote some extraordinary values for this week on Wraps of style, worth and reliability.

AT \$2.95 Ladies' Plain Plush Capes, with collar edged with Thibet fur, well-lined, full width—in fact, a regular \$4.00 garment; as a special inducement for this week at \$2.95.

AT \$3.95 Braided and Beaded Plush Capes, with Thibet fur edged collar and front, well-lined and full circular width, equal to any \$7.00 garment ever shown; this week at \$3.95.

AT \$5.00 Handsomely Beaded and Braided Plush Capes, with Thibet fur, pelled collar and front, \$8.50 would be a reasonable price; special this week at \$5.00.

### Cloth Capes.

AT \$2.00—We offer an elegant Double Cape, Hercules Brand trimming, high storm collar, pelled with fur, actually worth \$2.50. This week at \$2.00.

AT \$1.50—We show you an elegant English Beaver Cape, velvet collar, full sweep, regular \$2.50 quality. This week at \$1.50.

We offer a \$6 Ladies' Jacket, trimmed in the height of style, fly front, high collar, stitched down the front, as a trade inducement for this week at \$3.95.

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### New Dress Goods.

A new line of double width Worsted Dress Goods in fancy mixtures and new weaves. A 25¢ value to go this week at 15¢.

Scotch Plaids, double width, new desirable shawls, regular 30¢ quality. This week at 20¢.

A new line of Heavy Covert Cloths in mixed colors. Special this week at 12 1/4¢.

50¢ Slin Range Dress Goods in lamp, some novelty effects. Special this week at 3¢.

### Lace Curtains.

A large invoice of Lace Curtains bought for each from insolvent importers, hence their prices:

240 pairs 3-yard Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth 10¢ on sale at 4¢.

120 pairs 2 1/2-yard Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth 15¢, on sale at 7 1/2¢.

150 pairs 2 1/2-yard Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth 22¢, on sale at \$1.10.

165 pairs 3 1/2-yard Nottingham Lace Curtains, regular value \$4, on sale at \$2.39.

### Special Sale of Skirts.

Huckaback Towels with colored borders and fringed, heavy, 10¢ grade this week at 5¢.

Fringed Huckaback Towels, good quality and pure flax, 15¢ quality for 10¢.

Hemmed Huckaback Towels, large size and extra heavy, 15¢ grade for 12 1/2¢.

Huckaback Towels, large size, hemmed or fringed, colored borders, 25¢ values at 15¢.

Damask Towels with knotted fringe, fancy borders, 25¢ values at 15¢.

### Specials in Towels.

Twenty dozen Brocade Skirts on sale, full width, well-lined, velveton bound, regular \$2 value, special price, \$1.25.

FOUR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—ABOUT NOVEMBER 21, 91 miles and one-half head of horses, 2000 to 2500 pounds, 1000 to 1200 pounds, on Johnson ranch, three miles southeast of Fowler. W. M. Dooley. 1612191912

FOR SALE—FOUR CITY LOTS, HOUSE, windmill, tank, barn, fruit trees, vines, well fenced, cheap. Box 16, this office.

FOR SALE—BROOD HORSES WITH AND WITHOUT FOALS, also a Thoroughbred, Chin, bone, and a couple of Ridge Row Vineyard, Elm Avenue.

FOR SALE—SIX ACRE VINEYARD, 600 acres four miles from Fresno. Will be sold at a bargain and in easy terms, in close partnership. Inquire Box 16, this office.

FOR SALE—TEN TONS PUMPKINS AT \$1.25 per ton, one mile east of Belmont. Box 16, this office.

FOR SALE—A FULL-BRED HORSE, 1000 pounds, 18 months old, owned and trained by A. Rothchild.

FOR SALE—HORSES AND POODIY, A. Rothchild.

FOR SALE—SEED WHEAT, WHITE, AUS

GRASS, perfectly clean. George A. Nourse, 1612191912

FOR SALE—40-ACRE VINEYARD, 1000

feet to vine, full bearing, six years old; red sandy loam, Pachner Creek bottom land; one mile from Belmont, 1000 feet above sea level; 120 acres of pasture land; wheat land, about one and a half miles southwest of Sanger.

RESIDENCE—PROPRIETOR—Three lots on M. Street, one-half mile from Belmont, 1000 feet above sea level, 1000 feet from the Gabilan Range, well suited for residence or boarding house purposes.

The price will be \$1000 per acre, to be paid in installments on an estate. Apply to Menz & Johnson, 1320 Mariposa street.

FOR SALE—100 TONS PUMPKINS, \$1.00 per ton, 500 yards orchard, eight miles east Kearney Avenue, or inquire Box 16, this office.

FOR SALE—POINTER'S RAISIN STEMMER, 1000

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FOR SALE—A BARE CHANCE: A GOOD

INTEREST WILL BE GIVEN TO THE RIGHT PARTY IN THIS BUSINESS, WHICH IS A BARE CHANCE.

FOR SALE—ON SUNDAY EVENING, 100

feet above sea level, near town, in a dry climate. Owner call for it at the Republican office, 1612191912.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—HORSES FOR PLOWING AND

WANTED—500 acres of wheat land, near McWayne, Tulare.

WANTED—TO BUY THOMPSON'S SAWMILL,

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE-

WORK. 1717 J Street.

WANTED—MAN AND WOMAN OF TWO

YOUNG AND MATURED, WITH NO SPECIAL CHARGE, TO WORK IN A FARM, WITH A HUSBAND, NO CHILDREN, NO DEPENDENTS, NO DEBT. Address C. H. Box 16, this office.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN WANTS

TO WORK IN A FARM, COOKING AND HOUSEWORK.

Call Cosmopolitan House, corner Kern and 3 streets.

WANTED—SITUATION BY COMPETENT

W. Blacksmith; care F. T. H. H. or inquire at his office on 16th street, opposite the post office.

I. L. Employment Office FURNISHES

1000 female help at short notice. 955

Grand, Mrs. R. H. H. and G. F. F. 1612191912

**Parker Lyon's**  
Book Cases,  
Center Tables,  
Fancy Rockers

HAVE ARRIVED AT LAST.

**ELEGANT LINE.**

**W. Parker Lyon,**

**MAMMOTH STORES,**

1126, 1128, 1130 and 1132 1 Street.

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